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SUBJECT: AHARAM REPORTS THAT HUSSEIN HAS AGREED TO PLO'S
INCLUSION IN GENEVA TALKS.

REF: CAIRO 1606

1. IN HIS FRIDAY MARCH 29 NEWS COLUMN, ALI AMIN REPORTS THAT
GOE HAS AGREED TO VISIT OF HUSSEIN TO CAIRO "AFTER KING HUSSEIN
HAS AGREED TO THE PARTICIPATION OF THE PLO IN THE GENEVA TALKS".
ARTICLE ADDS THAT HUSSEIN WILL ARRIVE AFTER HAVING VISITED
MOROCCO.

2. RELEVANT ARTICLE ALSO APPEARS IN GUMHURIYYA WHICH STATES,
WITHOUT SOURCING, THAT PALESTINIAN REPRESENTATIVE ON EGYPTIAN/
PALESTINAIN COORDINATION (REFTEL) WILL BE KHALID AL-HASSAN.

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EGYPTIAN SIDE, REPORT ADDS, WILL BE REPRESENTED BY ISMAIL

FAHMY.

3. COMMENT: ALI AMIN MAY BE GIVING EXPRESSION TO HIS OWN OR GOE WISHFUL THINKING (AS HE OFTEN DOES), BUT HIS ARTICLE IS IMPORTANT IN THAT IT IMPLIES EGYPT HAS AT LEAST SUCCESSFULLY PERSUADED KING TO RECOGNIZE PLO AS SOLE REP OF PALESTINIANS, AND THAT HUSSEIN HAS DONE SO WITH MODICUM OF GOOD GRACE, SINCE HIS TRIP TO CAIRO IS STILL ON. SPECULATION CONTINUES HERE THAT TIMING OF KING'S VISIT AND FIRST MEETING GOE-PALESTINIAN COMMITTEE, BOTH IN COMING WEEK, HAS BEEN ORCHESTRATED TO PERMIT KING TO MAKE RECOGNITION ANNOUNCEMENT IN CAIRO.

4. HUMHURIYYA'S REPORT SUGGESTS THAT KHALID AL-HASSAN HAS BEEN DESIGNATED ACTING PALESTINIAN FM.
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